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Russians Can Meet Goals, G-2 Man Says

FT. WORTH (UPI) — The deputy U. S. intelligence chief, warning against underestimating Russia's economic and military ambitions, predicts the Soviet Union can meet the ambitious industrial goals set by the Kremlin.

Gen. C. P. Cabell, deputy director of the central intelligence agency (CIA), said in a speech Tuesday night that Russia will "continue to grow at a rate which presents the free world with a serious threat and challenge."

He said western intelligence experts believed Russia would meet the industrial goals the Kremlin has imposed "and will not be greatly hampered by the domestic pressures for more consumer goods."

Cabell noted that, because of "strict state control" Russia could "switch on a moment's notice" to "forced draft programs." Other western officials have warned that Russia could continue military production under the guise of "heavy industry."